



Docket: 0021-024

PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 20277
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Hugh McDERMOTT, et al.	:	Confirmation Number: 1302
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Application No.: 10/787,260	:	Group Art Unit: 3762
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Filed: February 27, 2004	:	Examiner: Scott M. Getzow
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For: COCHLEAR IMPLANT SOUND PROCESSING METHOD AND SYSTEM		

**AMENDMENT AND REPLY**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed June 21, 2006. Accordingly, this response is due on or before September 21, 2006. Please amend the subject application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 14 of this paper.